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VI—CALLING ATTENTION TO THE NEED FOR REMISSION OF LAND REVENUE IN TIRUVADANAI TALUK.

திரு. கே.ஆர். ஆர்எம். கரியமாணிக்கம் அம்பலம்: தலைவர் அவர்களே, “கிழக்கு இராமநாதபுரம் மாவட்டத்தைச் சேர்ந்த திருவாடானை, தாலுகாவில் உள்ள விவசாயிகள் பருவமழை தவறியதாலும் சமீபத்தில் ஏற்பட்ட புயலினாலும் பாதிக்கப்பட்டுள்ளதனால் மேற்படி விவசாயிகளுக்கு நிலவரியைத் தள்ளுபடி செய்து தரப்பட வேண்டிய அவசியம் குறித்த அவசரப் பொது முக்கியத்துவம் வாய்ந்த விஷயத்தைக்” கனம் உணவு அமைச்சர் அவர்களின் கவனத்திற்குக் கொண்டு வருகிறேன்.

THE HON. SRI V. RAMAIAH : Mr Speaker, Sir, the Government are aware of the heavy damages caused to the crops by the breaches of tanks and floods in December 1964, in the eastern taluks of the Ramanathapuram district and of the need for granting remission of land revenue. The Revenue authorities have already been instructed to take up immediate azmoishi of these areas with a view to grant remission in time, wherever justified under the rules. There is no information, however, whether any coercive steps are being taken against the ryots affected by the cyclone and floods. The Collector of the district will, however, be asked to use his discretion in dealing with such cases and avoid hardship.

VII.—ANNOUNCEMENTS.

(1) ELECTION TO THE COMMITTEE ON ESTIMATES.

MR. SPEAKER : I have to announce to the House that Sri C. Chiranjeevulu Naidu, M.L.A., has been nominated to be a Member of the Committee on Estimates for the year 1964-65 in the vacancy caused by the death of Sri R. S. Veerappa Chettiar. As the number of candidate validly nominated is equal to the number of vacancy to be filled, namely, one, I hereby declare him duly elected to the Committee on Estimates for the year 1964-65.

(2) THE MADRAS GENERAL SALES TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1965.

MR. SPEAKER : I have also to announce to the House that the Governor has given his recommendation for the introduction in and consideration by the Madras Legislative Assembly of the Madras General Sales Tax (Amendment) Bill, 1965.

VIII.—GOVERNMENT BILLS.

(1) THE MADRAS GENERAL SALES TAX (AMENDMENT) BILL, 1965.

THE HON. SRI R. VENKATARAMAN : Mr. Speaker, Sir, I beg for leave to introduce the Madras General Sales Tax (Amendment) Bill, 1965.